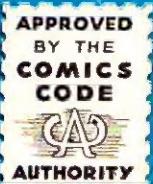


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KATY KEENE



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*A Breathtaking
WEDDING ALBUM,
PIN-UP FOR YOU!*
HOW CAN A SIX YEAR
OLD GIRL MARRY?

See INSIDE . . .

MORE Breathtaking ANNOUNCEMENTS INSIDE... SEE... SEE... SEE!!

THIS COVER DESIGN BY AWARD WINNER BARBARA RAUSCH! MANY NEW DESIGNERS STARRED IN THIS BOOK!

KATY and CURLY

in "The ADVENTURE OF THE PURLOINED PINTO"

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Bill
WOGGON

KATY MA'AM, THIS IS
JOHNNIE --- HE'S GONNA
STAY ON THE RANCH
A WHILE!

HI,
JOHNNIE!

PLEAS'D TO
MEET YOU,
MISS KEENE!



Katy, as she often does, is spending a day at Curly Cassidy's Lazy CC Ranch, to relax from her strenuous work before the movie cameras --- she meets 14-year-old Johnnie, and a young Pinto Curly has just bought

JOHNNIE, MISS KEENE AND AH ARE
GONNA BE AWAY ALL DAY, LOOKIN' FOR A
MOVIE LOCATION --- TAKE GOOD CARE OF
THE RANCH, AN' SPECIALLY PEPPER, HERE,
WILL YOU? YOU CAN RIDE HIM IF YOU
WANT TO!

GEE, THANKS,
CURLY!

As Johnnie leads Pepper away ---

KATY MA'AM, THAT BOY'S GOT GOOD
STUFF IN HIM, BUT HE'S BEEN IN A LOT OF
TROUBLE IN THE CITY! HIS PAROLE
OFFICER'S A FRIEND OF MINE --- WE
FIGGER A SPELL OF RANCH LIFE AWAY
FROM HIS GANG WILL MAYBE HELP
HIM GET A FRESH START!

IT'S WONDERFUL OF
YOU TO TAKE THE
TROUBLE, CURLY!

Soon, Katy and Curly leave the ranch...

WAVE GOODBYE TO HIM, CURLY! SAY, WHAT'S THIS ABOUT A MOVIE LOCATION?

WELL, ER-AH... AH WAS KIDDIN' KATY, MA'AM... HOPE YOU DONT MIND! AH WANTS A LET JOHNNIE KNOW AH TRUST HIM, IN SPITE OF HIS RECORD! SO AH LEFT HIM IN CHARGE OF EVERYTHING, EVEN MAH NEW \$1000 PINTO, PEPPER!

CURLY'S CONVERTIBLE
BY TOM WOOLEY
345 SOUTH K.
DINUBA, CALIF.

Later on a windswept hill, many miles from the ranch...

MY! THAT WAS A GOOD LUNCH YOU BROUGHT! HOW HAS JOHNNIE BEEN BEHAVING SINCE YOU BROUGHT HIM TO THE RANCH?

HE WAS HARD TO BE FRIENDS WITH---ACTED MEAN AN' TOUGH---BUT AH THINK THAT PINTO HORSE MADE THE DIFFERENCE! HE SHORE LOVES THAT HORSE!

AN' AH BEEN SHOWIN' HIM HOW TO CARE FOR THE STOCK---HE LIKES THAT, TOO! BUT WHAT HE LIKES BEST IS TRACKIN'! AH BEEN TEACHIN' HIM TO FOLLOW A TRAIL LIKE AN' INDIAN, AN'. NOTICE ALL THE LITTLE SIGNS! HE'S A GOOD KID AT HEART---AH THINK HE'S GONNA TURN OUT OKAY!

I'M SURE HE WILL!
WELL, IT'S A LONG WAY BACK---WE'D BETTER BE GOING!

SEND FOR A "CURLY" PIN-UP + CUTOUT SET! MAIL YOUR ORDER WITH 15¢ TO KATY AT WAGON WHEELS RANCH, SANTA BARBARA, CALIF.

Two hours later...

THAT'S FUNNY---
AH DON'T SEE JOHNNIE!
USUALLY HE'S WAITIN'
FOR ME AT THE GATE!

HEY! HE LEFT TH' GATE OPEN! LOOKS LIKE ALL THE STOCK GOT OUT! HE NEVER DID THAT BEFORE!

MAYBE HE'S OUT RIDING PEPPER,
CURLY---YOU TOLD HIM HE COULD!

WELL, HE'S NOT IN THE HOUSE, KATY MA'AM... LET'S LOOK IN THE BARN... PEPPER OUGHTA BE THERE, IN HIS STALL!

OH, CURLY, DO YOU SUPPOSE HE'S RUN AWAY... AFTER ALL YOU'VE DONE FOR HIM?



CURLY'S COWBOY FASHION by KATHE BENDER (SORRY! SHE FAILED TO PUT HER ADDRESS ON DESIGN!)

WELL, AH HATE TO THINK SO... BUT... HE'S JUST CRAZY 'BOUT THAT PEPPER HORSE! AN' AH HAFTA TELL YOU... MY BRAND NEW HUNTING RIFLE'S GONE FROM THE HOUSE... IT'S WORTH A LOT OF MONEY!

OH-H-H-H, CURLY! HOW AWFUL!



KATY'S WESTERN FASHION by MRS. DEE JASON, 2847 SO. DRAKE, CHICAGO, ILL.

YEP! HERE'S TRACKS! BUT IT'S QUEER---JOHNNIE ISN'T RIDIN' PEPPER---BUT THE HORSE IS CARRYIN' SOMETHIN' HEAVY---SEE HOW DEEP THE HOOF PRINTS ARE?



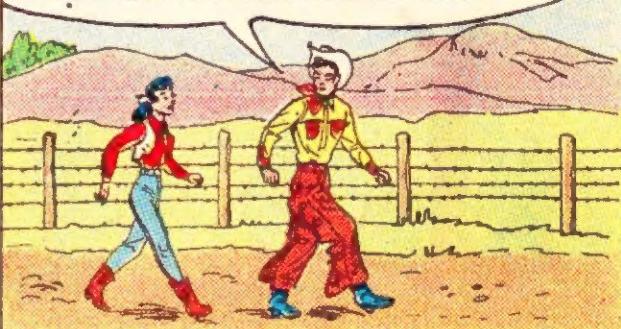
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BARN'S EMPTY---PEPPER ISN'T THERE! AN' HE ISN'T DOWN IN THE PASTURE WHERE ALL THE LOOSE HORSES WENT--- I LOOKED!

YOU DON'T MEAN YOU THINK JOHNNIE TOOK---?



AH'M GONNA TRACK HIM DOWN---CAN'T LET HIM DO THIS! HE'Ll BE IN WORSE TROUBLE THAN EVER! AH BEEN TELLIN' HIM TALES OF THE OLD WEST, AN' HE LEARNED A LOT! AH FIGGER HE'Ll KEEP OFF THE ROADS AN' HIT FOR ROUGH COUNTRY! YOU BETTER COME, TOO --- HE'S SEEN YOUR MOVIES---THINKS A LOT OF YOU---MAYBE YOU CAN TALK SENSE INTO HIM!



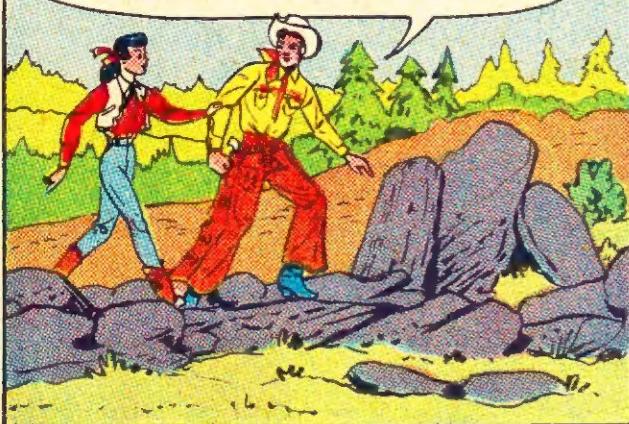
KATY MA'AM, WE'Ll WALK---AH CAN TRACK FASTER ON FOOT! AN' AH'M GOIN' TO THE HOUSE FOR MAH GUN! HE'S GOT A RIFLE---AN' HE RAN WITH A TOUGH GANG IN TOWN!

Y---YOU THINK HE M-MIGHT ROB SOMEBODY---OR SHOOT IF HE SEES US?



For hour later, in rough foothills...

HE'S PLENTY SMART! HE'S BEEN STAYIN' ON THE ROCKS SO FOOTPRINTS WON'T SHOW-- BUT SEE THIS FRESH SCUFF MARK? ONLY A HORSESHOE WOULD DO THAT!



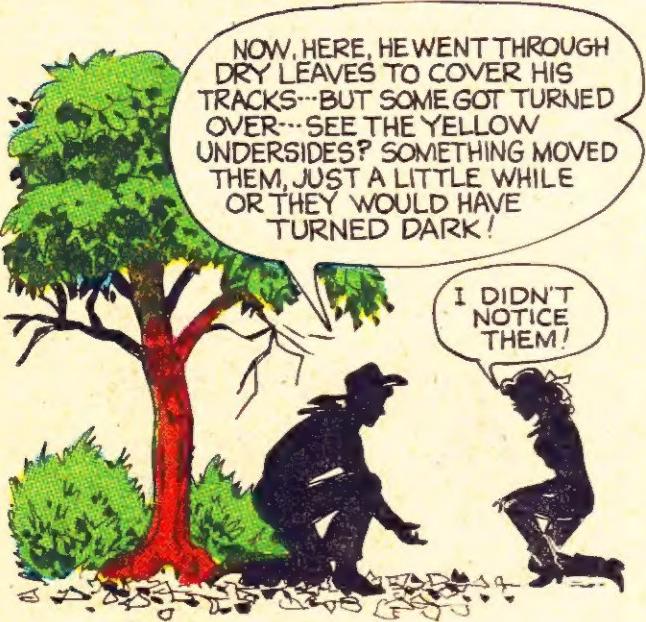
Still later, and higher...

HE RAN OUT OF ROCKS, HERE-- BUT HE'S STILL SMART! TOOK TO THE DRY GRASS! BUT HERE'S SOME THAT HASN'T HAD TIME TO SPRING BACK AFTER HE STEPPED ON IT! WE'RE GAININ'!



NOW, HERE, HE WENT THROUGH DRY LEAVES TO COVER HIS TRACKS--BUT SOME GOT TURNED OVER--SEE THE YELLOW UNDERSIDES? SOMETHING MOVED THEM, JUST A LITTLE WHILE OR THEY WOULD HAVE TURNED DARK!

I DIDN'T NOTICE THEM!



Approaching a high pass...

LOOK, KATY MA'M, HERE'S A BROKEN TWIG. AN' ITS BROKEN END IS BRIGHT, AN' CUT CLEAN! A MAN'S SHOE WON'T CUT A TWIG SHARP LIKE THAT, BUT A HORSESHOE WILL! WE'RE STILL ON HIS TRAIL!



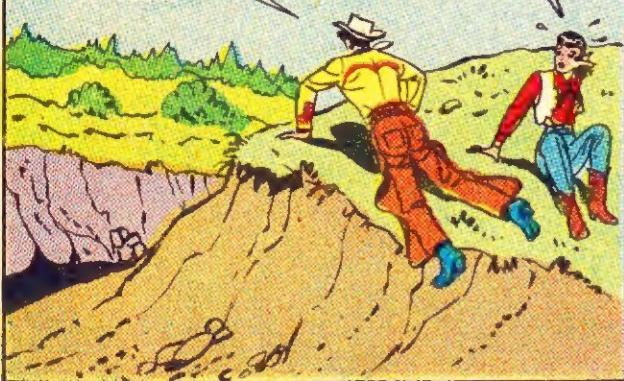
AH THINK WE GOT HIM! HE'S BEEN TRAVELIN' SLOW, TAKIN' TIME TO COVER HIS TRAIL--BUT AH'M SURE NOW, HE'S HEADIN' FOR THAT PASS! WE'LL TAKE A SHORTCUT AN' GET THERE FIRST!



In an hour of hard climbing, Katy and Curly reach the high, narrow pass...

NO TRACKS DOWN THERE!
WE GOT HERE FIRST!
WE'LL JUST WAIT
FOR HIM!

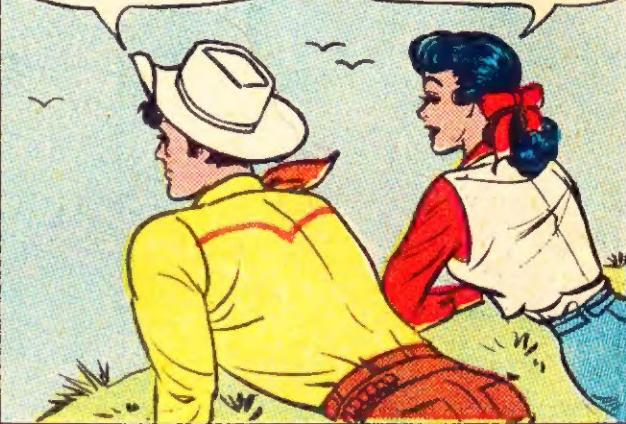
WHEW! PUFF - PUFF!
WHAT A CLIMB!
IM WORN OUT!



Some time later...

HE SHOULD BE HERE
BY NOW--BUT AH CAN'T
HEAR HIM COMIN'! MAYBE
HE FOOLED US!

WE'D BETTER START
DOWN! WE'VE GOT
TO CATCH HIM,
FOR HIS OWN GOOD!



Y'ORE RIGHT! C'MON!
BUT KEEP BEHIND ME!
I DON'T LIKE THIS!



A half-mile down the pass...

CURLY! I HEARD
A NOISE DOWN
THERE!

ME, TOO, KATY, MA'AM!
THAT'S A HORSE STAMPIN'
DON'T MAKE ANY
NOISE!



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I H-HEAR
V-VOICES!

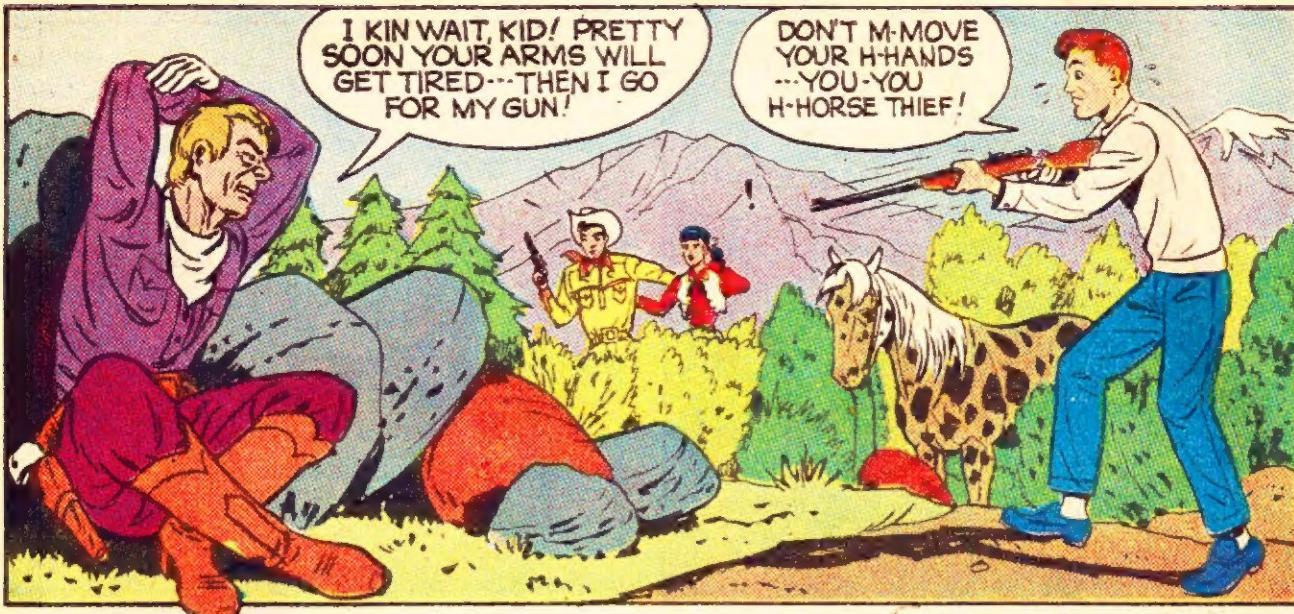
YEAH! JOHNNIE AN'SOMEBODY
ELSE! HE MUST HAVE A PARTNER--
ONE WALKED, AN'ONE RODE
PEPPER!



SH-H-H! GO REAL EASY!
THEY'RE BEHIND
THOSE TREES!

C-CURLY!
BE C-CAREFUL!

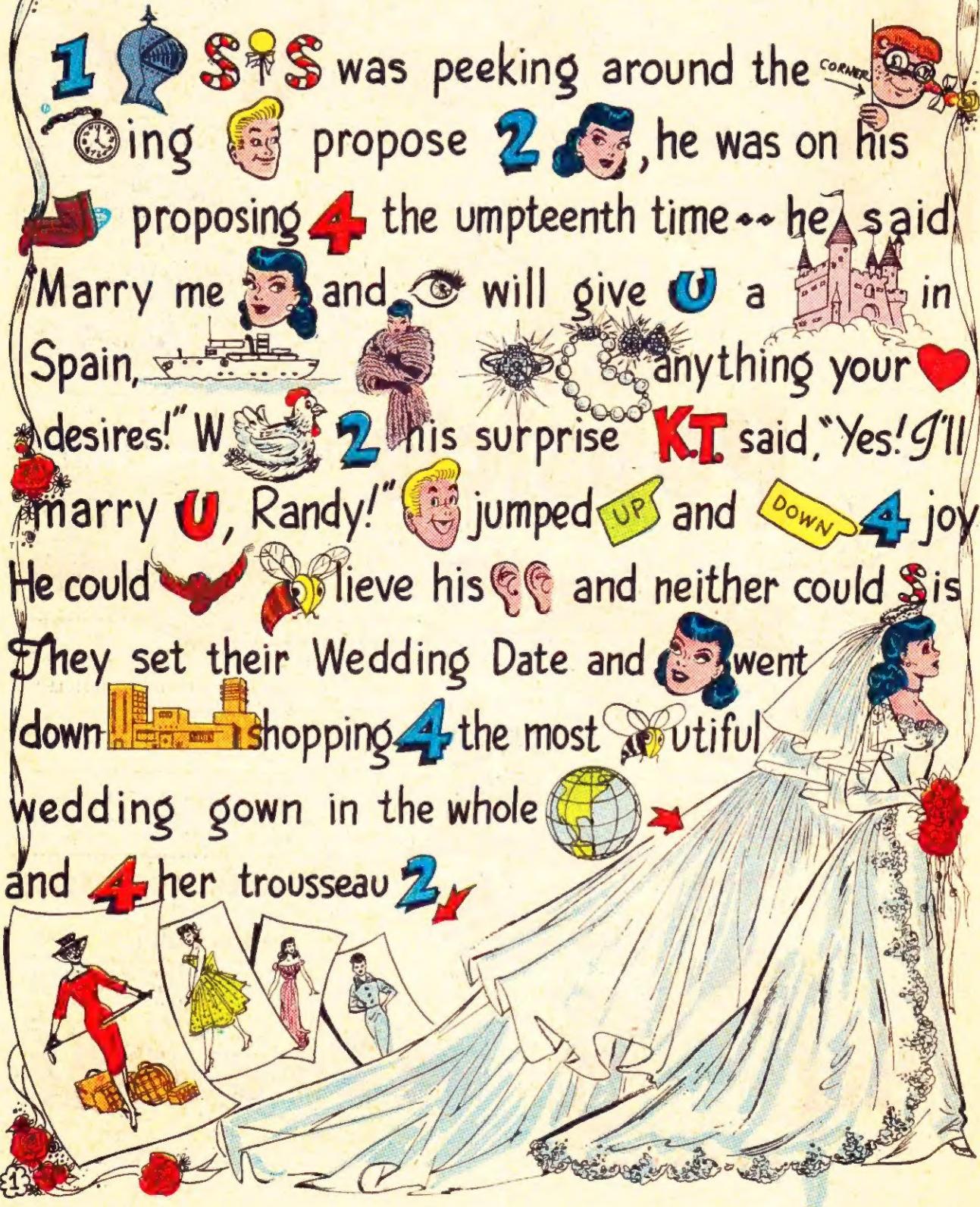




K.T. GETS MARRIED

(ALMOST) by Bill Woggon

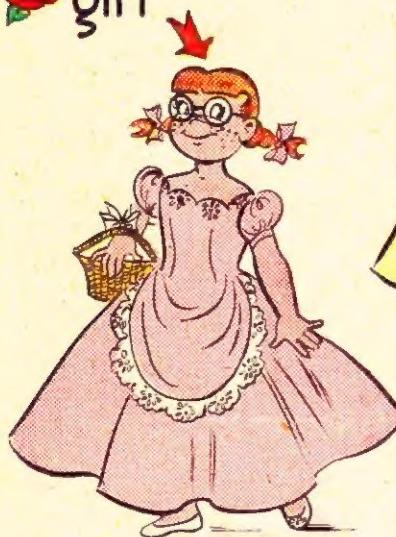
THIS STORY WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY CAROL ROSENBERG
2945 ROYDEN ST., CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY



chose 4 her bridesmaids, she chose 4 her maid of honor. They decided upon beautiful matching gowns like these.

Naturally, Sis was chosen

girl



passes and

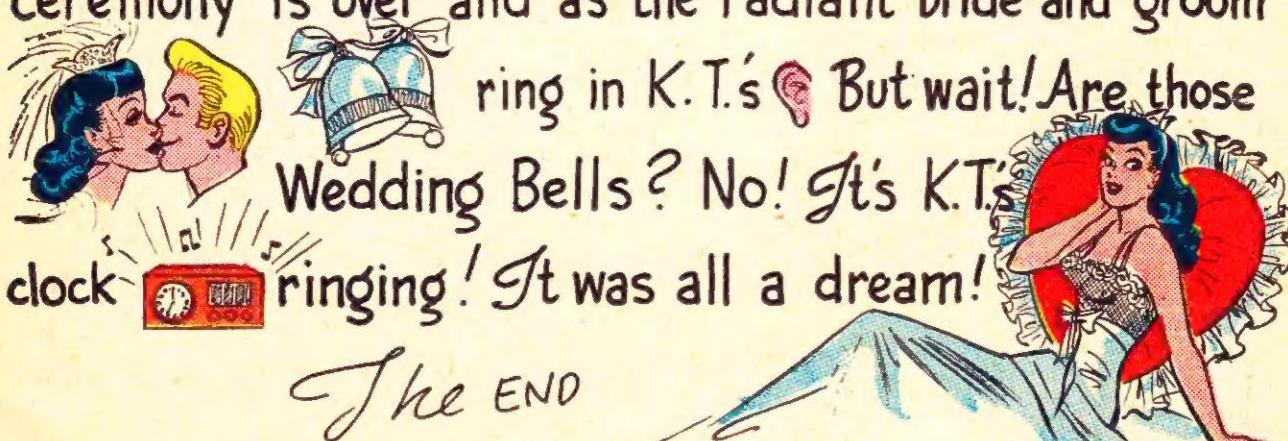
the great day arrives. Everybody is excited. The church is filled 2 capacity.



2 the strains of the WEDDING MARCH played on the church and say "I do." The big ceremony is over and as the radiant bride and groom

ring in K.T.'s But wait! Are those

Wedding Bells? No! It's K.T.'s clock ringing! It was all a dream!



The END



PIN-UP BY ELISSA ANN FRESHMAN, 229 FELLOWS AVE., SYRACUSE 10, N.Y.

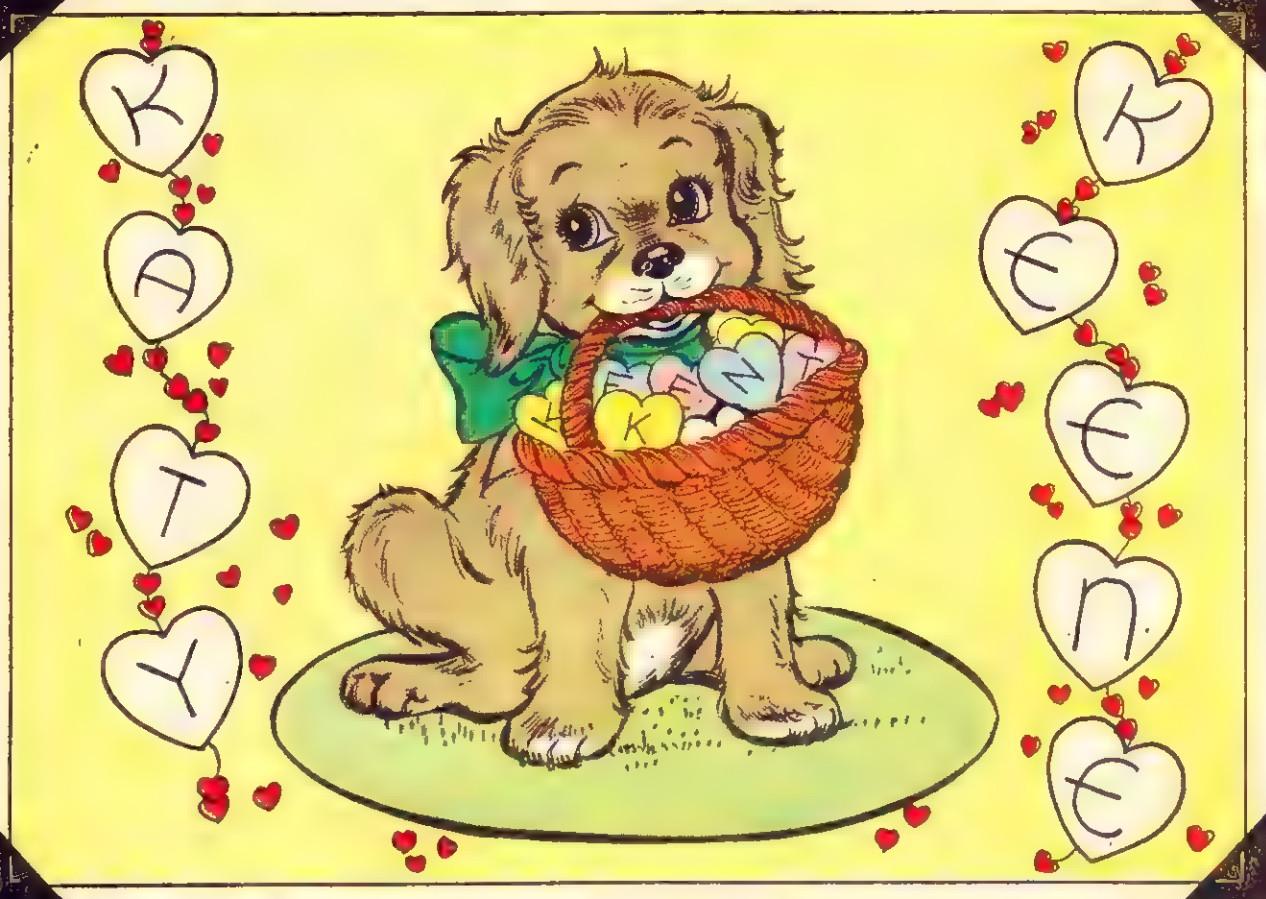
Dear Katy:

I enjoy your comics and pin-ups very much. But instead of just horse-album pin-ups all the time, you should have dog album pin-ups once in a while. I am not an artist and not able to draw dogs but it would make me very happy to have some dog pin-ups!

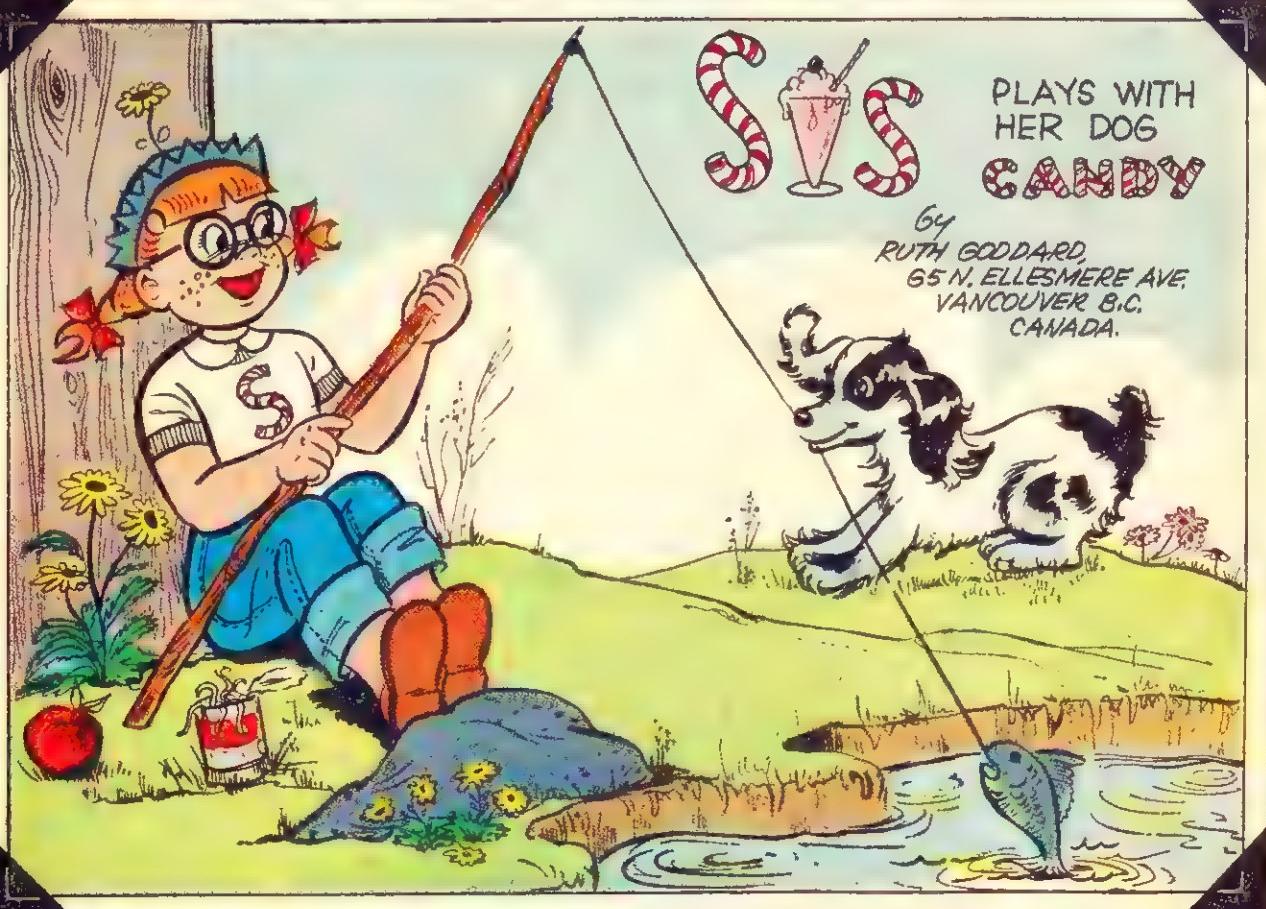
A fan
Diane Murphy
3263 E. 136th St.
Chicago 33, Ill.

OKAY, DIANE!
OUR FANS HAVE SENT
IN SOME DOG PIN-UPS
FOR JUST SUCH AN
ALBUM! SEE NEXT
TWO PAGES!





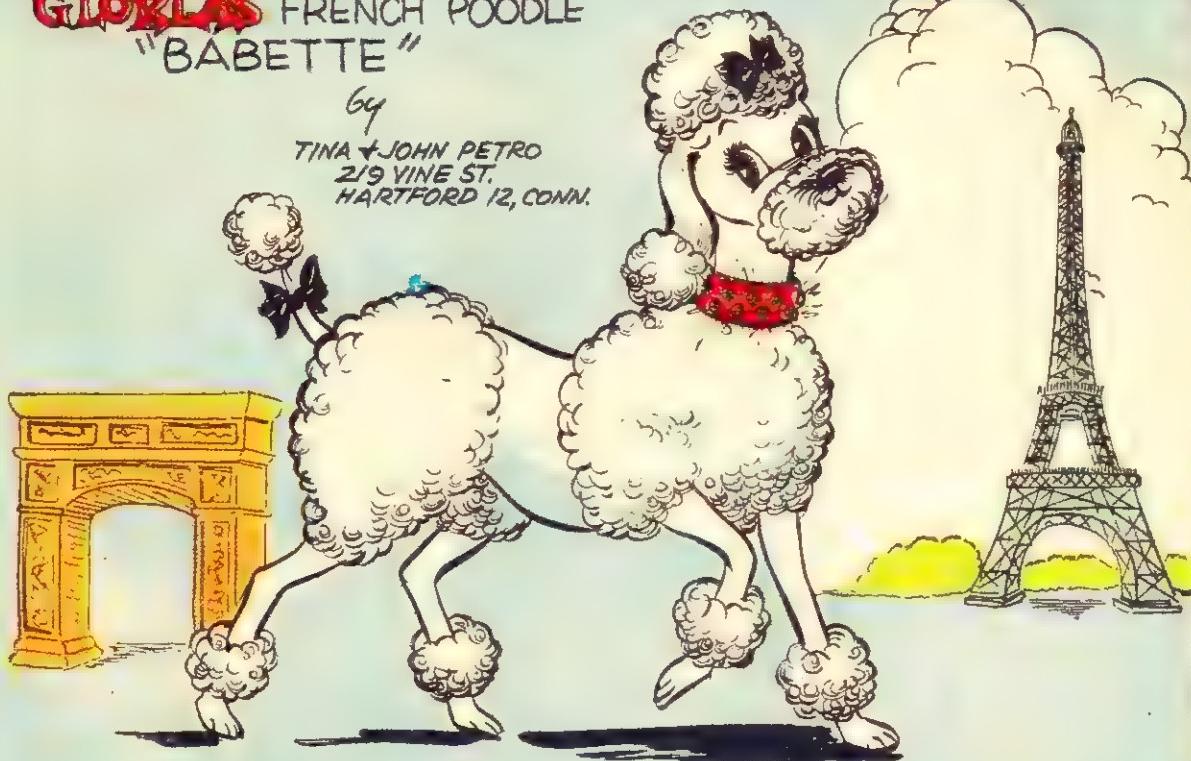
By MRS. WENDELL SMITH, STAR ROUTE, WATERTOWN, NEW YORK.



GIORLA'S FRENCH POODLE "BABETTE"

by

TINA + JOHN PETRO
219 VINE ST.
HARTFORD 12, CONN.



Katty

Klene

and COQUETTE

by

GERRY RAWLISON
198 CARROLLTON
SHREVEPORT, LA.



KATY

in

"The Charming Chef"

by
Bill WOGGON



CHEF FASHION by JOAN WEINHEIMER, 2293 VALERA AVE. PITTS. 10, PA. (AGE 15)

THIS IS THE BEST WAFFLE,
I EVER ATE, KATY. BUT WHY
IN THE WORLD DID YOU SPREAD
MUSTARD ON IT?!

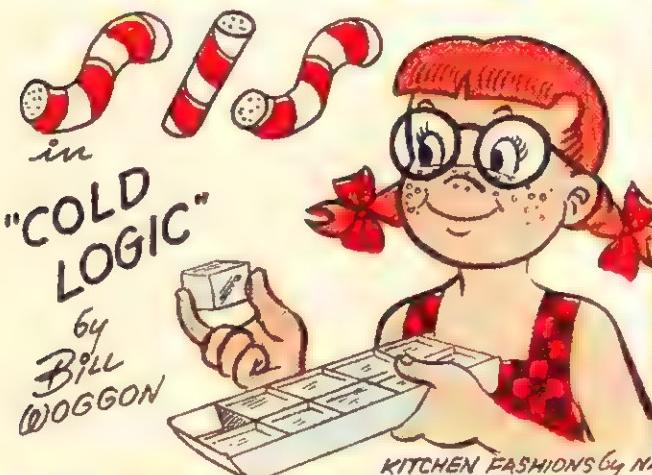
???



WAFFLE?! MUSTARD?!!
YOU BRUTE! THAT'S A
LEMON MERINGUE PIE!

OH-OH! I'LL
WRITE YOU
FROM
TIMBUCTOO!

END



"COLD LOGIC"

by
Bill
WOGGON

KITCHEN FASHIONS by NANCY VITUSCKA, 639 LAUREL ST., BEVERLY, N.H.

At few minutes later...

BAW!
I HAD EVERYTHING
READY TO MAKE
LEMONADE, AN'
SOMEBODY TOOK
MY ICE CUBES!

NOBODY
WOULD TAKE
THEM! WHERE
DID YOU PUT
THEM?

KATY SAYS I HAFTA BE EXTRA CLEAN
AROUND THE KITCHEN---LET'S SEE NOW--
I WASHED TH' LEMONS, AN' TH' GLASS, AN'
TH' JUICER, AN' TH' PITCHER! WHAT
ELSE DO I NEED? OH, YEAH, ICE CUBES!



THEY WERE RIGHT
THERE IN THE SINK!
I WASHED 'EM WITH
HOT WATER
AN' LEFT 'EM THERE
TO DRY!

SNIFF
SOB!

OH
SIS!!

END...

PREVIEW FASHION SHOW OF TAMMY'S BRIDAL PARTY in a *Breathtaking* PANORAMA PIN-UP FOR YOUR KATY KEENE ALBUM COLLECTION



DESIGNED ESPECIALLY
FOR YOU BY
KATHLEEN KNIPPEL
ROUTE 1
LAC DU FLAMBEAU,
WISCONSIN.

Debby, Katy, Gloria and Lucki model for you as Tammy's Attendants

CURLY

the
Checkers
Champ
by
Bill
WOGGON



JOKE by MOLLY BILL, 1510 MISSION CANYON ROAD, SANTA BARBARA, CALIF. (MOLLY LOVES HORSES + DOGS)



WHY, CURLY! THAT'S THE **SMARTEST**
DOG I EVER SAW! IMAGINE A **DOG**
PLAYING **CHECKERS!**



BIG BERTHA

in
"the WALTZING
WAR-CLUB"
by
Bill
WOGGON



And again, a minute later---

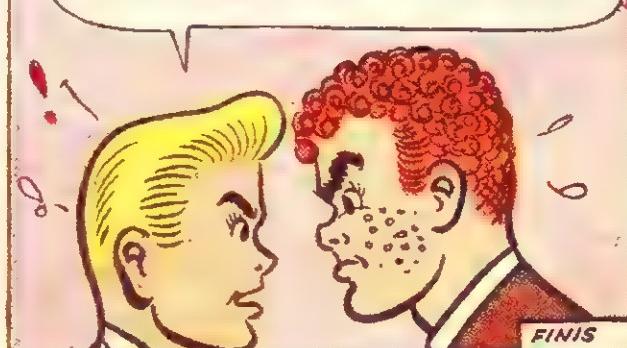


WHY DON'T THEY QUIT JITTERBUGGING
AND JUST WALTZ, LIKE THE REST OF US?
THEY'RE BUMPING EVERYBODY!



JOKE by BILLY KELLY, 1938 LUSCOMBE DR., TOLEDO 14, OHIO.

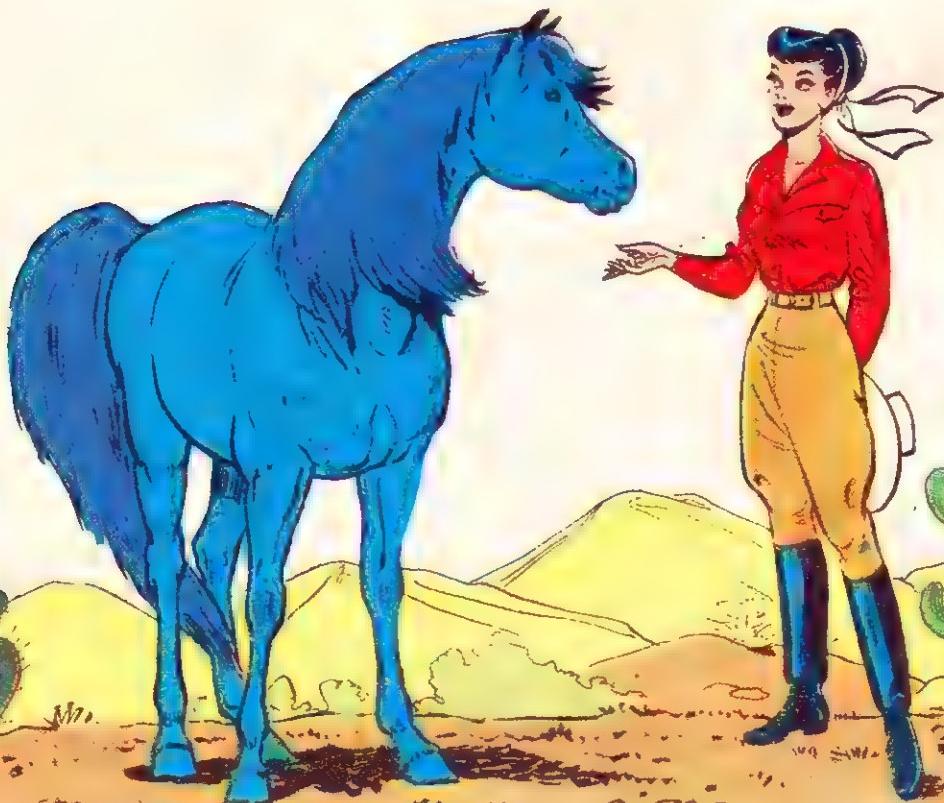
IF YOU DON'T QUIT HITTING ME
WITH KATY I'M GONNA
CLOBBER YOU WITH **BERTHA!**



KATY KEENE

in "A FUN ADVENTURE"

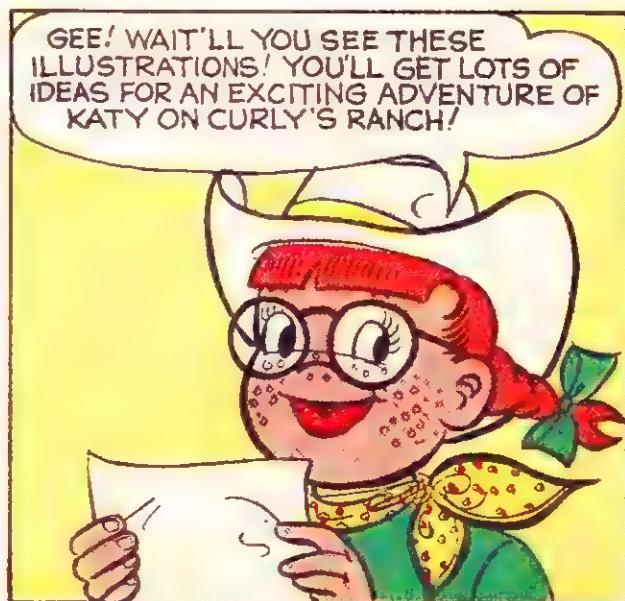
by
Bill
Doggett



ILLUSTRATIONS IN YOUR STORY ALL DESIGNED BY LINNIE BLACKSTONE, 644 PLEASANT DR. DALLAS 17, TEX.

DEAR FANS, HERE IS FUN FOR YOU! YOU CAN MAKE UP YOUR OWN STORY TO GO WITH ILLUSTRATIONS SENT IN BY DESIGNER LINNIE BLACKSTONE!

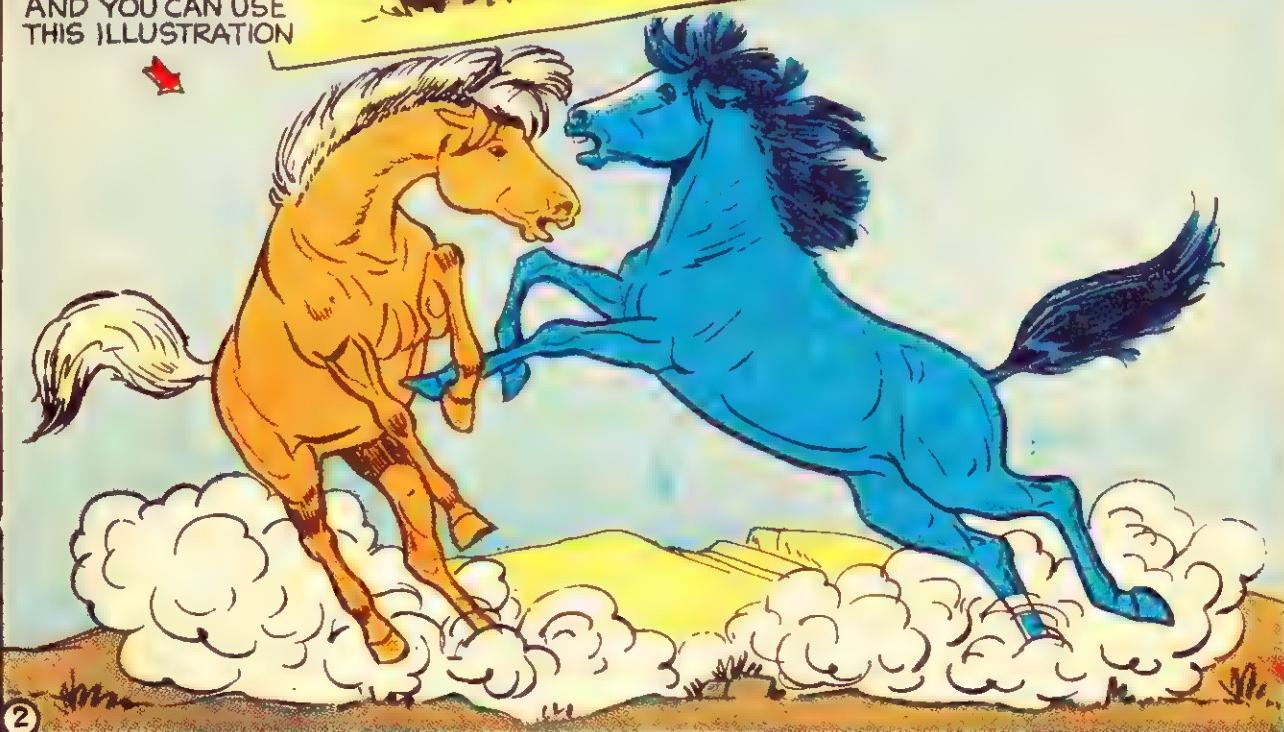
GEE! WAIT'LL YOU SEE THESE ILLUSTRATIONS! YOU'LL GET LOTS OF IDEAS FOR AN EXCITING ADVENTURE OF KATY ON CURLY'S RANCH!



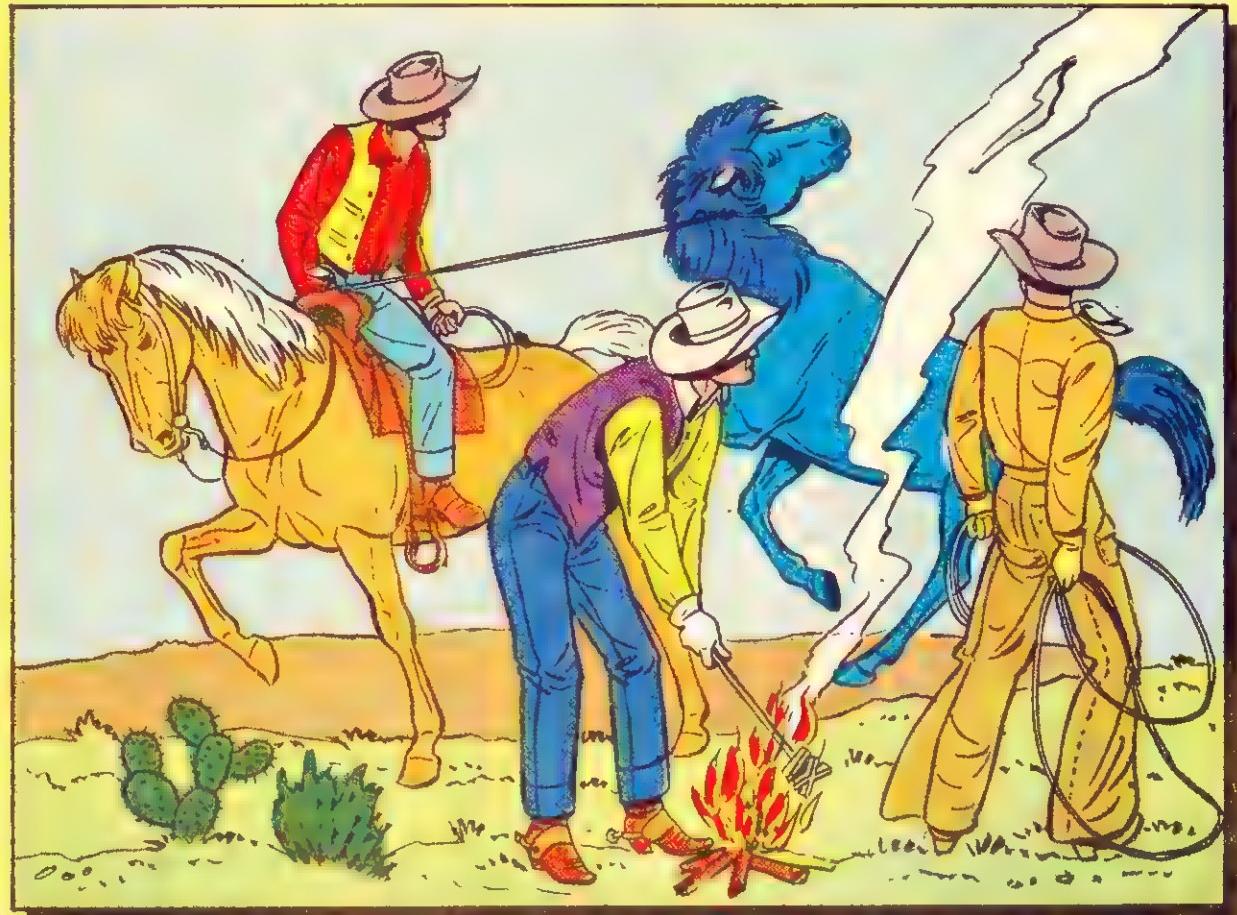
YOUR STORY MIGHT BE ABOUT A WILD HORSE ON CURLY'S RANCH...
THE HORSE'S NAME COULD BE "PHANTOM ROAN" ↗



PERHAPS PHANTOM
GETS INTO A FIGHT,
AND YOU CAN USE
THIS ILLUSTRATION



MAYBE SOME COWBOY RUSTLERS FINALLY CAPTURE "PHANTOM ROAN" AND BRAND HIM
--- BUT CURLY COULD CATCH THE THIEVES AND BREAK THE PHANTOM ROAN FOR
KATY KEENE --- YOU CAN USE THIS ILLUSTRATION IN YOUR STORY ↗



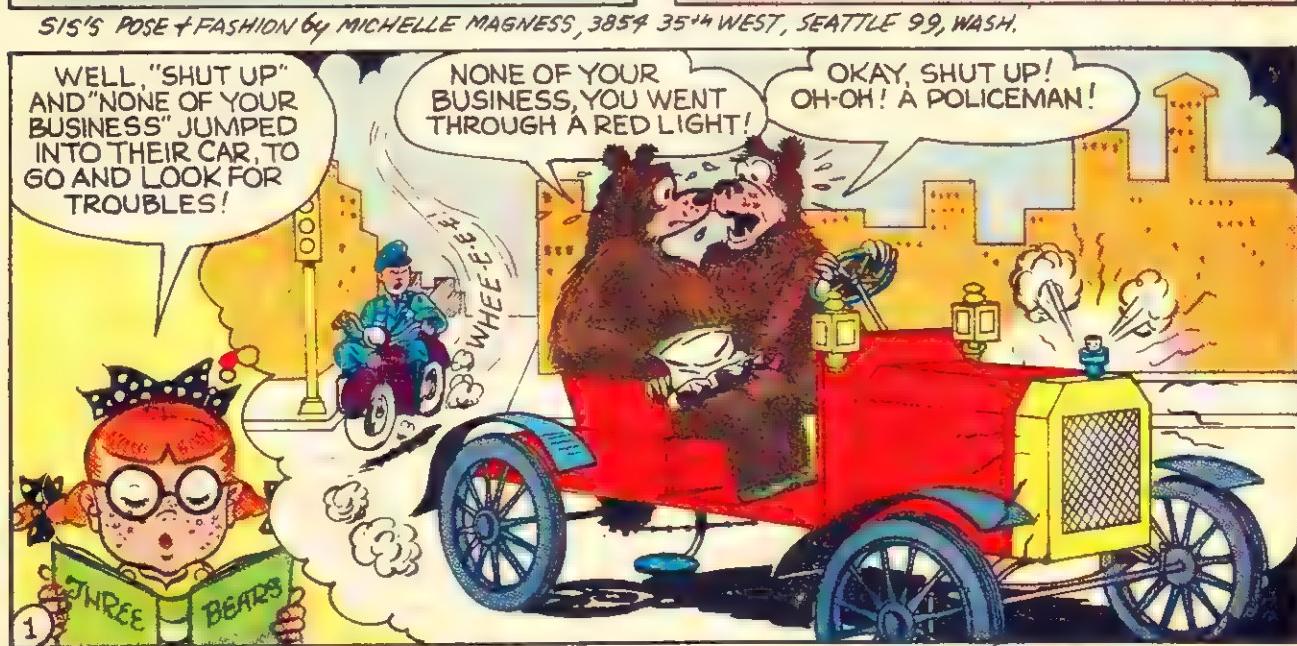
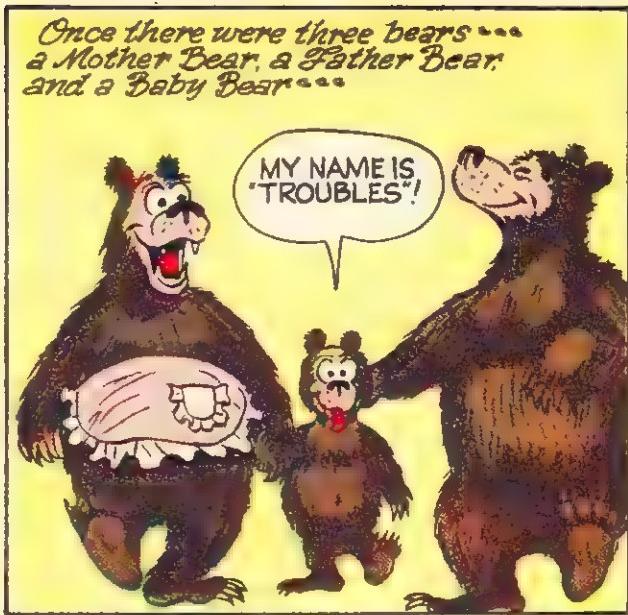
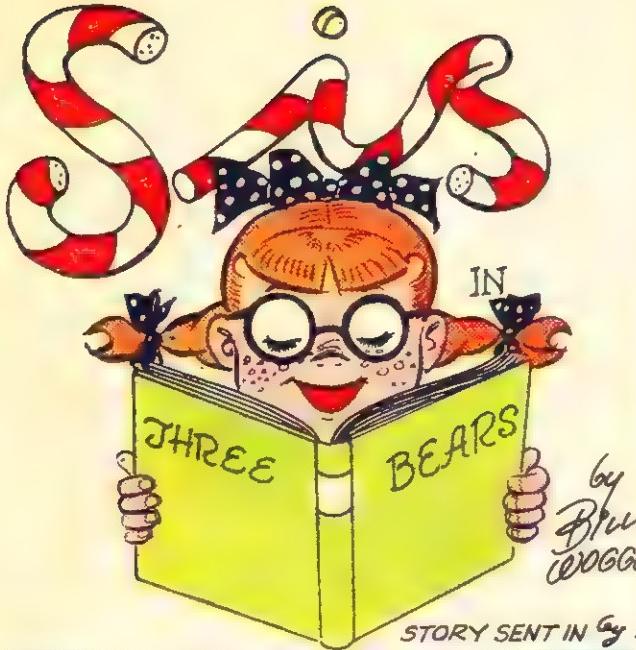
© COURSE, GLORIA HAS TO COME INTO THE PICTURE AND TRIES TO SNUB KATY WITH
HER BEAUTIFUL HORSE---BUT KATY'S PHANTOM IS FAR BETTER! CLIP AND USE THIS
ILLUSTRATION IN YOUR STORY!

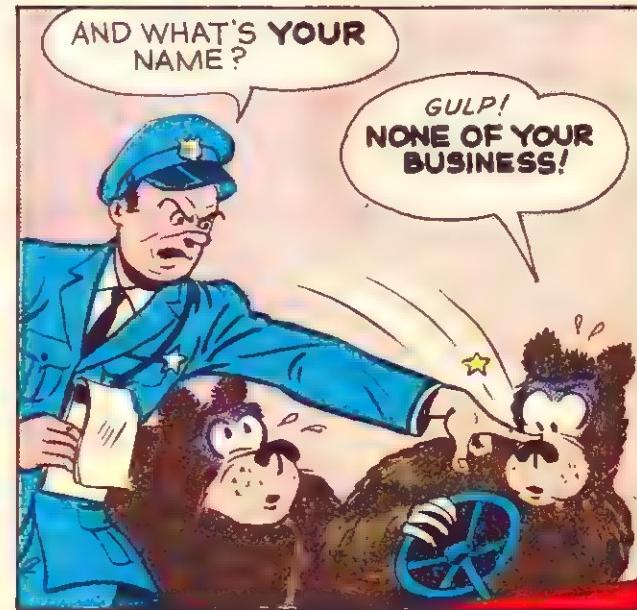


GURLY COULD ASK KATY TO GO ON A FORMAL DATE AND KATY COULD WEAR THIS BEAUTIFUL GOWN IN YOUR EXCITING ADVENTURE STARRING THE PHANTOM ROAN!



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KATY KEENE

by
Bill
WOGGON



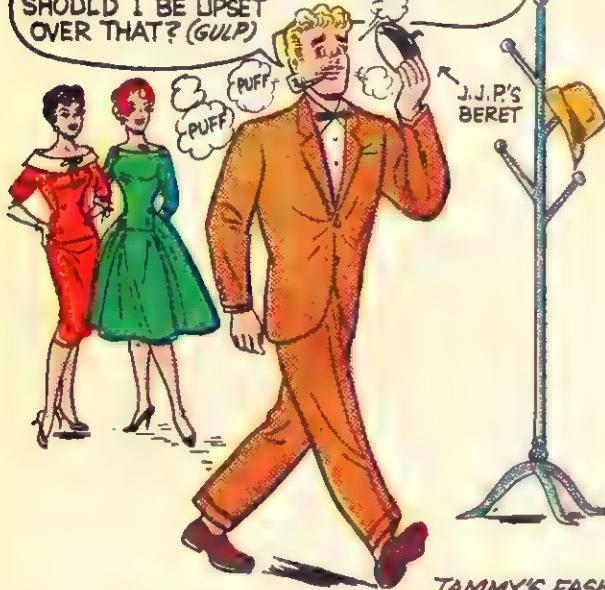
WEDDINGS ARE
ALWAYS SO EXCITING
BUT HOW DO YOU
SUPPOSE A **SIX YEAR**
OLD GIRL COULD MARRY?
WELL, READ THIS NEWEST
ADVENTURE AND SEE!

"HOW A **SIX YEAR** **OLD CAN MARRY"**

Our story begins in Danny's Casting office--he is very upset--in fact so upset he is lighting two pipes at once--but what has Danny got to do with this six year old--???



UPSET ABOUT MY WEDDING (HO! HO!) WHY
SHOULD I BE UPSET
OVER THAT? (GULP)



DANNY, WAIT! (TEE-HEE) YOU JUST PUT
ON J.J.P.'S BERET INSTEAD OF YOUR
OWN HAT!!

TEE HEE!



TAMMY'S FASHION by SUSAN NELSON, 12-8th AVE., IRON RIVER, MICHIGAN

OH, MY GOODNESS! I AM ABSENT-MINDED (AHEM) AND I ALMOST FORGOT MY IDENTIFICATION PAPERS!



(ER-AH) I'M LATE! HERE'S TAMMY TO MEET ME NOW-- GOODBYE, GIRLS!

HI, KATY! LUCKY!
HURRY, DANNY,
WE'RE LATE!



KATY'S LUCKY by CORASUE JOHNSON, 6136 SO. WHIPPLE, CHICAGO 29, ILL. DIANE CUSIMANO, 805 CLEVELAND ST., TAMPA 6, FLA.

DANNY, DARLING, CALM DOWN!--I'M SO HAPPY WE'RE NOT FAMOUS LIKE FIFI! --ALL THAT PUBLICITY OVER GETTING A MARRIAGE LICENSE WOULD MAKE ME A NERVOUS WRECK!



HMM? WHAT'S TAMMY GOT TO DO WITH FIFI'S LICENSE? SAY! THAT'S IT! NO I'LL BET TAMMY AND DANNY WONDER DANNY ARE GETTING THEIR'S TOO!

UM-HMM! SAY!



DANNY, QUIT SHAKING--
CALM DOWN-- MILLIONS OF
PEOPLE GET MARRIAGE
LICENSES EVERY DAY!

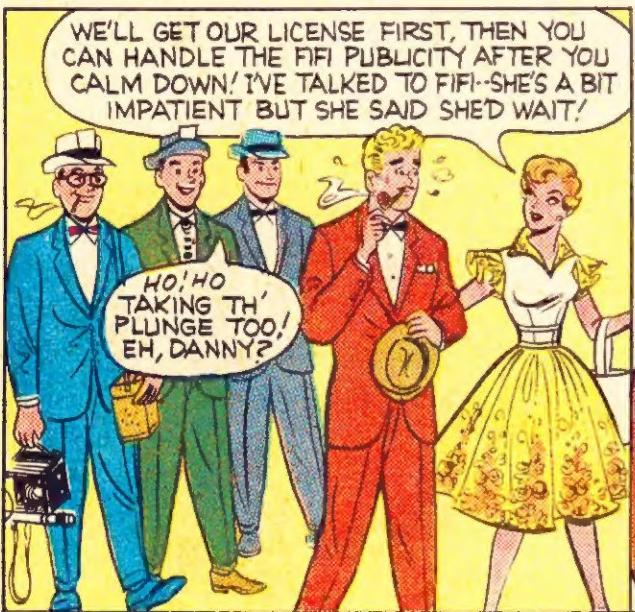


I-I GUESS YOU'RE
RIGHT, TAMMY-- I'M GLAD
TOO WE'RE NOT GETTING
ALL THIS FANFARE OVER
GETTING OUR LICENSE
TODAY!

THERE'S FIFI
AND THE FUTURE
MISTER FIFI, NOW,
WAITING FOR YOU!



WE'LL GET OUR LICENSE FIRST, THEN YOU
CAN HANDLE THE FIFI PUBLICITY AFTER YOU
CALM DOWN! I'VE TALKED TO FIFI-- SHE'S A BIT
IMPATIENT BUT SHE SAID SHE'D WAIT!



AND HOW OLD ARE
YOU, MISS?

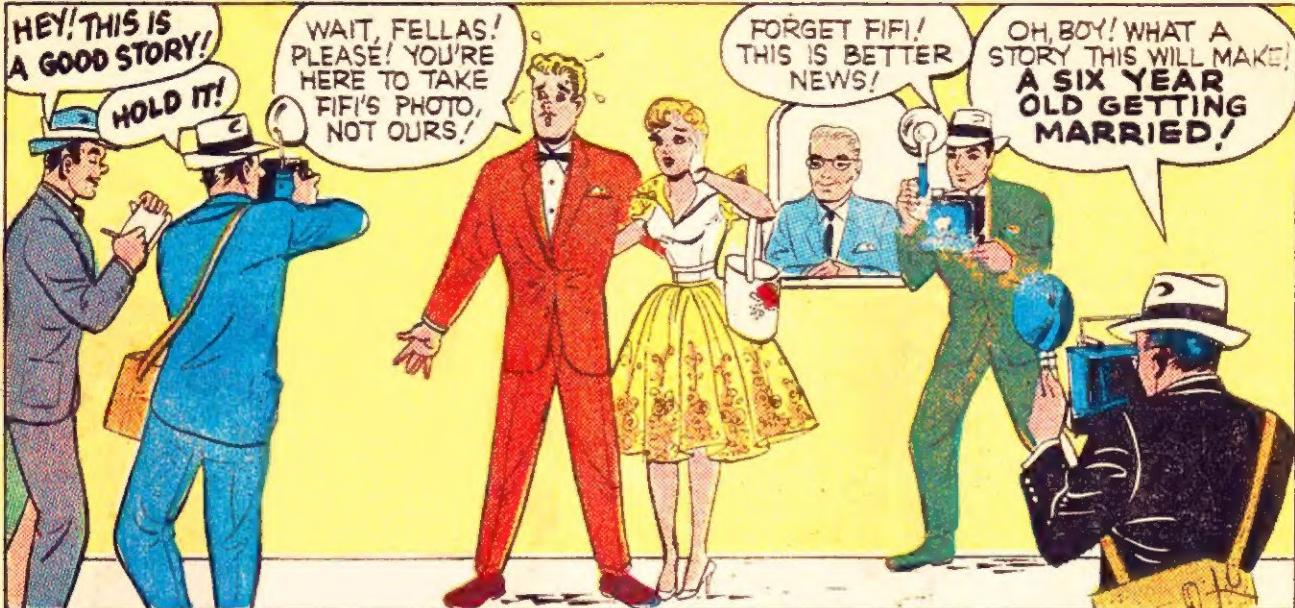


WELL TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH
I'M A LEAP YEAR BABY--- HAVING
ONLY SIX BIRTHDAYS I'M ONLY
SIX YEARS OLD!



SIX YEARS OLD?
HO! HO! HO! THAT'S ONE FOR
THE BOOKS!

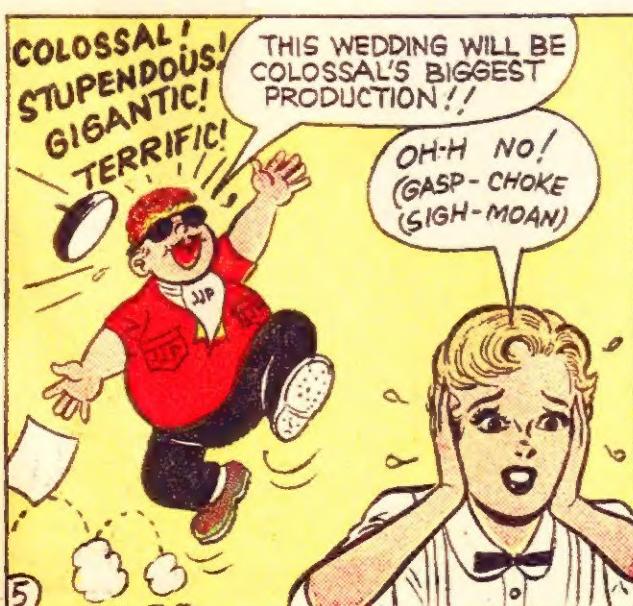
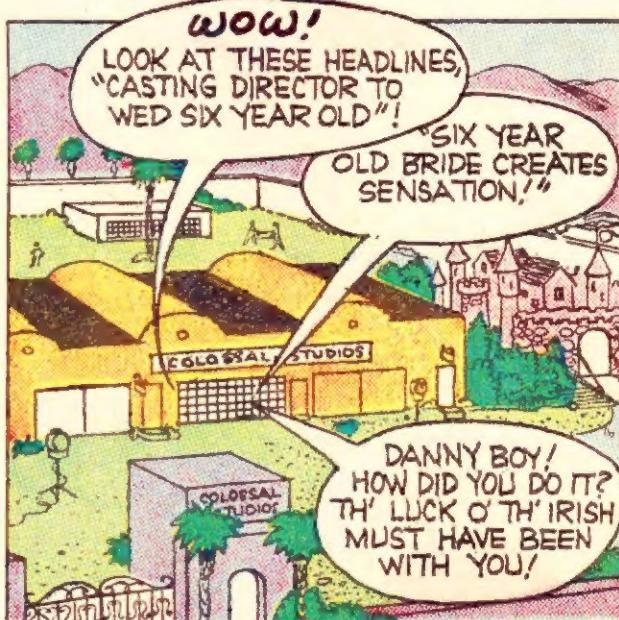




IF THAT'S THE CASE I GUESS WE CAN GET MARRIED TOO! YOUNG LADY! LET ME EXPLAIN--TAMMY WAS AN' GET OUR LICENSE! COME BACK HERE, EXPLAIN--TAMMY WAS BORN IN LEAP YEAR--



Later at TAMMY! DANNY! YOU OLD CRADLE Studio WE SAW THE NEWS! SNATCHER! HA! HA!



TAKE A PEAK AT TAMMY'S Dreamy TROUSSEAU TOGS

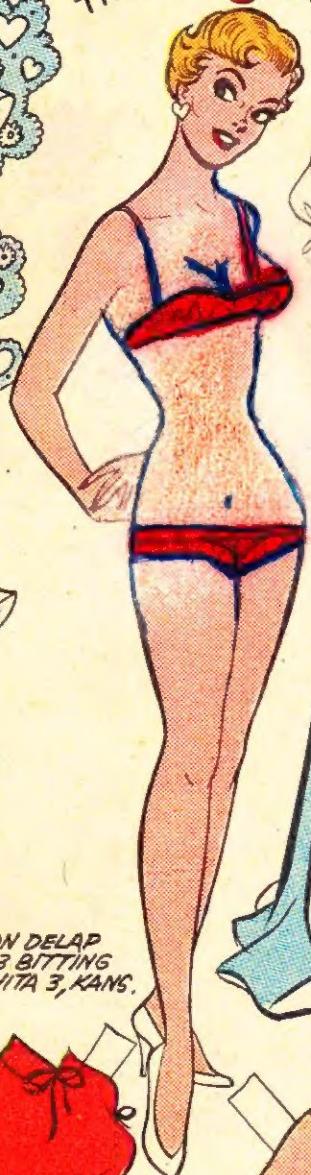
Tammy's TROSSEAU TOGS

THEY'RE DREAMY

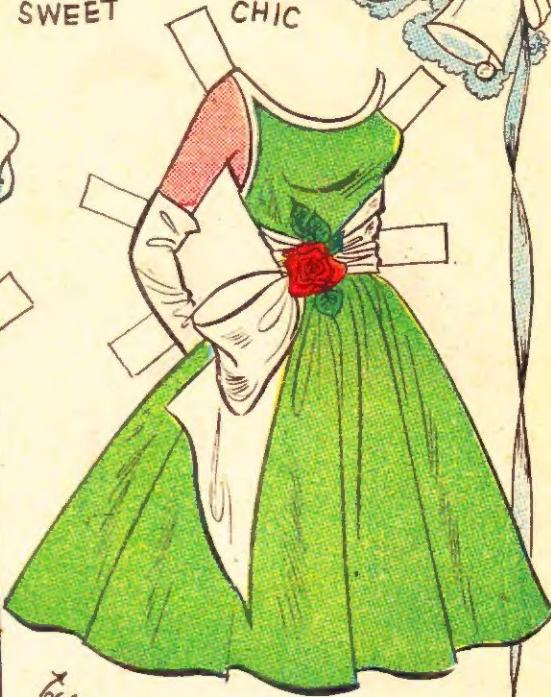
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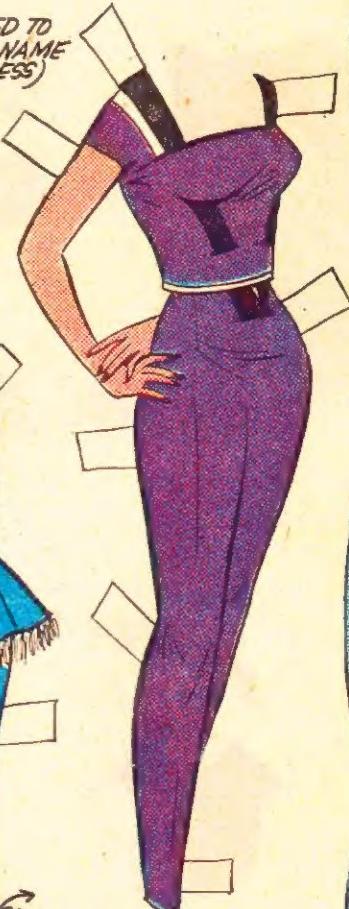
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6 BY DORIS TRERICHS
RT. 2 H
WILLIS, TEXAS.



6 BY FAYE
(WHO FAILED TO
SEND LAST NAME
AND ADDRESS)



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787 NEWBURY AVE.
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